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Revenue (1923) Department.

Ms SERIES.

G.O. No. 540

DATED 4th 4—1923

[Despatch Abstract.]

Assessment - ground-rent (Bellary)- Bellary Municipality Abandoned agricultural farm - Recovery from the Municipal Council.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

Sectt. II-26 (a) 1—55,258—23-1-22.

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Abstract.

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[illegible] DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 127 [illegible], dated [illegible] 192 .

ENCLOSURES.

No. ____

READ the following papers :—

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ORDERED.

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That

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the Bank within the municipal limits. The explanation that the omission was not previously brought to notice by the auditors does not therefore commend itself to the Government.

6. Para 11 (b) (ii) of the report. The defects pointed out in this para disclose an insufficient supervision exercised over the outdoor officers.

7. Para 13 of the report. The attention of the Chairman is invited to G.O.No.302.L & M. dated 14-2-22, according to which diversion of provident funds, deposits, water and drainage tax fund is not permissible without the previous sanction of Government. The Council is also requested to report what steps it has taken to carry out the recommendation of the Examiner of Local Fund Accounts regarding investment of the balances which are not immediately wanted.

8. Para 17 of the report. Orders will separately be passed by the Revenue Department on this para.

9. Para 18 of the report. The scant attention paid by the responsible officer of the Municipal Council to the realisation of the dues to the Municipality is noticed with disapproval.

10. Para 22 of the report. The attention of the Chairman is invited to section 104 of the Madras District Municipalities Act 1920 which lays down that the receipt from the service shoul be such as to cover expenditure.

11. Para 23 of the report. The attention of the Chairman is invited to Rule 69 of Schedule IV of the Madras District Municipalities Act 1920 and also to G.O.No.1131 Financial dated 15-11-21.

(By order of the Governor in Council)

E.S.Lloyd,
Secretary.

To The Chairman, Municipal Council, Bellary

* The Examiner of Local Fund Accounts.
Copy to the Local Self Government Department.
Copy to Revenue Department.

Forwarded to Revenue Department.

(By order) V Varadachari
Superintendent

Extract from the Report on the Audit of the Accounts of the Bellary Municipality forthe year ending 31st March 1921 by K.R. Sadasiva Rao Esq., B.A., (Cantab), Examiner of Local Fund Accounts, Madras. in G.O.No.127 Finance dated 3-2-23.

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17. Government dues not paid - Under G.O. No. 2957 (H) Revenue dated 20-9-1917, a ground rent of Rs.12-8-0 per acre is payable to Government by the Municipality from Fasli 1327 on account of the alienation of the abandoned Agriculture Farm Land to the extent of 71.68 acres less 17.37 acres required for roads, conservancy lanes, sites for urinals, latrines etc. The total rent thus due amounts to Rs.681 for each Fasli but nothing appears to have been paid to Government as yet towards the dues sinee the Fasli 1327. It was noticed that the amount realised from the sale of plots was being taken to the Municipal General Fund. The total sale proceeds during the year 1920-21 was Rs.690-4-0.

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Extract from the replies to the Audit Report on the Accounts of the Bellary Municipality for the period extending from 1-4-1920 to 31-3-21.

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Para 17. No bill has been presented by the Revenue authorities up to date for the payment of the ground rent. Hence it was not paid.

4/ Revenue depth

Subject – Audit report – Bellary Municip

C.No. 562 E. from the Finance dept. No.
127 dtd d. 3.2.23.

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To Under Secy –

The Finance dept. may be requested to furnish portions of the current file in the C.O. on which para. 8 of the S.O. is based. This is necessary for taking further action in this dept.

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With reference to Rev. depth's note above, it may be furnished with copies of para: 17 on p: 6 C.F, portion S on p C.F and ~~portion~~ para 9 of L.S.G depth's notes on p: 7 of Notes to S.O. 127 Fin dtd 3.2.23.

SM 24.2.23

AM 23.2.23 VS 25.2.23

Rev 562 E Rcd 1-3-23

UNDER SECY. TO GOVT. REVENUE DEPT. 1-MAR 1923

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(This has already been recorded in the despatch entry in the file. It is not clear why the file was sent by Revenue) E

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Extract from the notes in Mm.G.O.No.127 Finance dated the 3rd February 1923.

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9. Para 17 - Non-ayment of ground rent due to Government.

The Council replies that no bill was presented by the Revenue authorities for the sum. The Revenue department may be requested to take the necessary steps for the recovery of the amount.

The Rev. Dept. may take action about this.
R.S.
2-10-22.

F.J.R.
9-11-22.

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F.J.R.
9-11-22.

Revenue Dept.

Under Secy.

A draft order is submd.

J.RD
12.3.23.

Secy.

V.P.

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An explanation is due for the omission to collect the ground rent all these years. The Bd may be asked also to obtain it from the officer responsible.

V.P.
26.3.23

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READ ALSO;—

C. No. 5625 From the Finance dept., No. 127 Fin, dated 3-2-1923.

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ORDER.
Fin.

No. 540, dated 4-4- 1923.

An extract of para. 17 of the report of the Examiner of Local Fund Accounts on the audit of the accounts of the Bellary Municipal for the year ending 31-3-21, No. 19-87-137 d. ~~8~~ 8.4.22 and an extract of the reply of the Chairman Municipal Council, Bellary, there are forwarded to the Board of Re the Board is requested to direct the Collr. Bellary to recover the amount of ground-rents due to Govt. from the Municipality and to obtain and deal

Dis. 7 APR 1923

To B.T.L. Rodell. (A+O)

J.R.D. 10.3.23

explanation of
the Officer responsible for
the omission to collect the
ground rent all these
years

V.P.
26.3.23

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